

Appl. No. 10/802,505
Response Dated August 12, 2005
Reply to August 8, 2005, Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment

REMARKS

In view of the following remarks, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the August 8, 2005, "Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 C.F.R. § 1.121)".

Objections and Rejections

The August 8, 2005, "Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 C.F.R. § 1.121)" declares "[a] complete listing of all of the claims is not present" in a Response to a February 28, 2005, Office Action that was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") on July 27, 2005.

Attached to this Response as Exhibit A is a complete copy of the February 28, 2005, Office Action. Note that the February 28, 2005, Office Action on page 2 declares that:

1. only claims 40-77 are pending in the patent application on numbered line 4; with
2. claims 60-66 have been withdrawn from consideration on numbered line 4a.

Attached to this Response as Exhibit B is a copy of pages 8-17 included in the Response to the February 28, 2005, Office Action that was filed with the USPTO on July 27, 2005. Note that pages 8-17 include numbered claims 40-77, i.e. all the claims pending in

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the patent application according to the February 28, 2005, Office Action.

Set forth below is a table summarizing the status of claims 40-77 pending in this patent application as the status of those claims appears on pages 8-17 included in the Response to the February 28, 2005, Office Action that was filed with the USPTO on July 27, 2005, i.e. in Exhibit B hereto.

Claim no.	Response Page no.	Original	Currently amended	Cancelled	Withdrawn	Previously presented	New	Not Entered
40	8					XXX		
41	9					XXX		
42	9					XXX		
43	9					XXX		
44	10			XXX				
45	10					XXX		
46	10					XXX		
47	10					XXX		
48	10					XXX		
49	10					XXX		
50	11					XXX		
51	11					XXX		
52	11					XXX		
53	11					XXX		
54	11					XXX		
55	11					XXX		
56	11					XXX		

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Claim no.	Response. Page no.	Original	Currently amended	Cancelled	Withdrawn	Previously presented	New	Not
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57	12					XXX		
58	12			XXX				
59	12			XXX				
60	12				XXX			
61	12				XXX			
62	13				XXX			
63	13				XXX			
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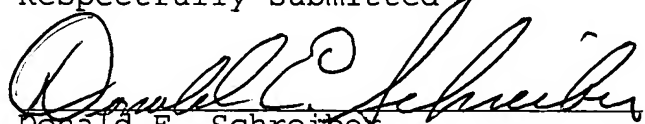
Conclusion

Because:

1. only claims 40-77 are pending in this patent application;
2. the Response to the February 28, 2005, Office Action that was filed with the USPTO on July 27, 2005, i.e. Exhibit B hereto, includes pending claims 40-77 on pages 8-17 thereof; and
3. claims 40-77 in Exhibit B hereto are properly categorized in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c);

Applicants respectfully request that August 8, 2005, "Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 C.F.R. § 1.121)" be immediately withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted


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